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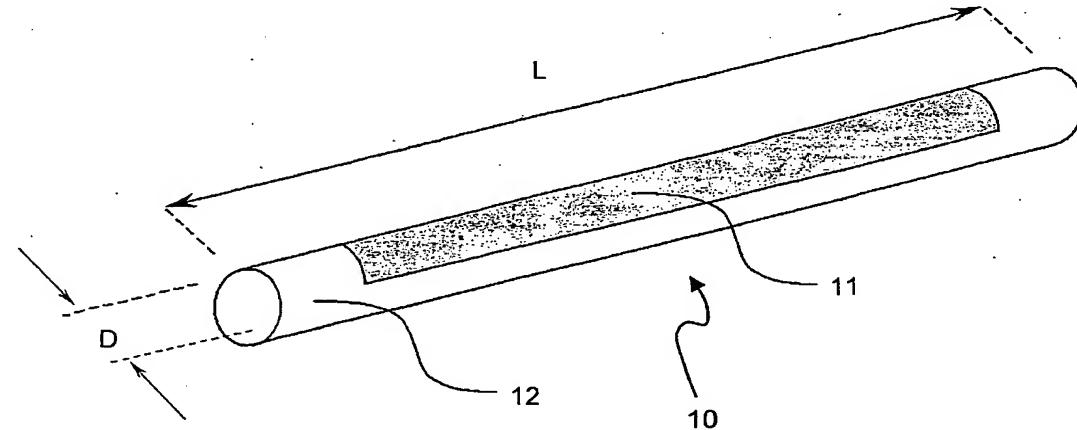
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(57) Abstract: A material for dewatering elements at the wet end of a paper-making machine is disclosed. The material comprises an elastomeric polymer matrix, and a filler added to the matrix at a level of 10 to 50 percent by weight, and the material has a hardness according to Shore A between 60 and 85. The invention also relates to a dewatering element comprising such material, and to the use of such material for the preparation of a dewatering element.